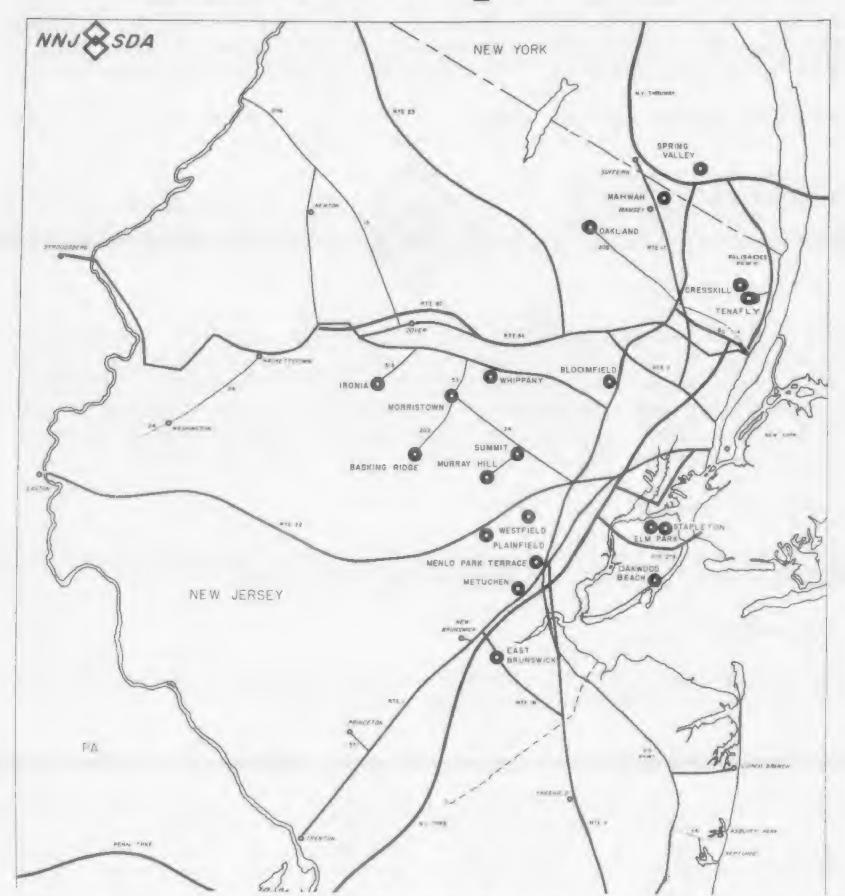
Grand Square

NORTHERN NEW JERSEY SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION JUNE 1967

P. O. Box 56, Metuchen, N. J.

"Lets Get Acquainted"





Located between New York City and Philadelphia the 26 member square dance clubs in the NORTHERN NEW JERSEY SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION offer a unique opportunity to dancers and visitors in both areas with some clubs only an hour, via the turnpike from Philly or 15 minutes from the Tappan Zee and George Washington Bridges. not familiar with our area, we dedicate this special issue of GRAND SQUARE. Take a copy along

with you to peruse at your leisure. The clubs are listed alphabatically; the map above should help in locating their meeting place. Should you be going thru Northern New Jersey area now, or even a year or two from now, we hope you'll pay us a visit. See you on the dance floor.

We find this a particularly memorable time to be taking office as your presidents with the National Square Dance Convention at our doorstep in Philadelphia. We sincerely hope that a large number of our NNJSDA dancers will find it possible to attend the Convention and take advantage of the opportunity it affords to become acquainted with a broad cross section of callers and other dancers from all parts of our country.

By thinking and acting "nationally" you open the door to increasing your square dancing pleasure. There are associations of clubs like our own all over the U.S.A. When you travel look them up and you will be surprised at the wonderful, warm welcome you will receive; and don't forget to tell them that we have good dancing in New Jersey and that we would be happy to have them visit us if they should be traveling our way.

135 West Oak Street, Basking Ridge, N.J.

Phone 201 - 766 - 1447

ASSOCIATION PROFILE



NORTHERN NEW JERSEY
SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION

What is it?

NNJSDA is a non-profit dancers association dedicated to expanding square dancing in the area as well as promoting the interests of its member clubs. A minimum of three Association meetings are held a year to which every club sends delegates. These delegates are empowered to vote on all issues and elect officers who serve without remuneration. Numerous club members serve on various committees and assist the officers.

What area is covered?

All of northern New Jersey north of the Monmouth-Middlesex County line and Richmond and Rockland Counties in New York State.

Who are members?

Any square dancer who is a member of good standing in a square dance club that elects to become associated with NNJSDA.

What are its objectives?

According to the Constitution, the purpose is: 1. To promote square dancing in the area by organizing and providing for beginner classes 2. To serve as a clearing house for area information and activities as well as provide assistance and information to member clubs and dancers 3. To promote square dancing thru publicity 4. To cooperate and work with other square dance organizations, schools, churches, etc. in the promotion of square dancing.

How is this accomplished?

With dues only \$5.00 a year, per club, the treasury depends mainly upon receipts from its summer dances and the 2 or 3 special dances on the 5th Fridays or Saturdays conducted during the year by the NNJSDA. Beginner classes are sponsored and clubs encouraged to conduct their own classes with the Association providing booklets, diplomas, badges, perfect attendance pins and other assistance. Members are kept informed of area happenings thru a bi-monthly publication GRAND SQUARE which is distributed free (continued on page 7)



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BELL LABS -- Murray Hill, N.J.

2 Thursday

Dining room - Bell Telephone Laboratories

Will be dancing all summer on the usual 2nd Thursday evening with Bob Kellogg our regular caller, assisted by Jean with the rounds. Dancing starts at 8 PM. Guests are always welcome.

president - Vic Wade 44 The Fellsway, Murray Hill, NJ 201-464-5640

CIRCLE EIGHTS -- Tenafly, N.J.

2 & 4 Mondays

Mackay School

Since we meet in the local school we'll be closed down for the summer months but will resume operations in the fall...probably on Sept. 25.

Marty Winter is our caller with Doc Tirrell assisting with rounds on the fourth Monday. Have a pleasant summer.

president - Lou & Hattie DeLeau 536 Tilden Ave., Teaneck, NJ 201-836-6249

2 & 4 Saturdays

COUNTRY PROMENADERS -- Cranford, N.J.

Methodist Church, Walnut & Lincoln Streets

Although we usually meet in the Cranford Methodist church for the summer dance dates of June 24, July 8 and 22 we'll be gathering in the air-conditioned Echo Lanes in Mountainside, NJ. Rounds will be led by Bob & Edith Thompson at 7:30 and square dancing begins at 8:30 with Glen Cooke at the mike. Come join us, any time.

president - Jim & Ann Carolan 2124 Ludlow St., Rahway, NJ 201-FU8-6179



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Tel: 569-8107 837-1975 Seventeen squares made our Memorial Day Eve Special with Bob Brundage an evening to be remembered. GRAND PROWLERS and MOUNTAIN SQUARES shared the sponsorship of the event held in Parsippany. Thanks are due to Plainfield Promenaders for the welcome extended when visited by "Prowlers" May 26th. Two and a half squares pinned the Plainfield banner and enjoyed an extra dance with Beulah who called her last dance of the season at Prowlers on MAy 20. She will be back with us on September 16, until then, enjoy our summer series as advertised in this issue.

Bon Voyage to V.P. Walter Hamshar, off on a trip to England which will include talent scouting for future Grand Prowler callers.

Please note we are dancing 2 & 4 Saturdays in July and 1 & 3 Saturdays in August in the West Essex High School in North Caldwell.

president - Ed & Gwen Knight Clover Lane, R.D. 3, Dover, NJ 201-895-2559

SHONGUM MOUNTAINEERS -- Morris Plains, N.J.

every Tuesday County Buildings
6:30 to 8 PM Teen-age Club

Teen square dancing will continue through the summer. Four squares completed our 28 lesson series and are now dancing to a variety of calling - Bob Mitchell, our own class president Russ Deats Jr. who has recently completed his callers class, plus records and tapes. On May 23 we were visited by five squares from other 4H clubs who needed "help" with the dances programmed for the 4H square dancing event at the Flemington Fair; hope you can visit with us there - we'll be dancing Friday evening September 1.

president - Russ Deats, Jr. Corwin Street, Ironia, NJ 201-JU4-5404

There's fun dancing any first or third Saturday in North Jersey with *

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GUEST CALLERS

1967
JUL. 8 HAL HOUMES
JUL.22 LEE KOPMAN
AUG. 5 CHIP HENDRICKSON
AUG.17 MANNY AMOR
SEP. 2 BOB DUBREE
OCT. 7 DICK LEGER
NOV. 4 PAUL HARTMAN
DEC. 2 ED FOOTE



1968
DEC.30 HAL HOLMES
JAN. 6 JOHNNIE ROTH
FEB. 3 BUD WEISEN
MAR. 2 AL ADERENTE
APR. 6 GLEN COOKE
MAY 4 JACK JACKSON
JUN. 1 BUCK FISH
JUN. 15 CHARLIE KIDES

or visit us when BEULAH SAMEC, our regular caller, calls on third Saturdays, September 1967 through May 1968. Write Ed. and Gwen Knight, R.D. 3, Dover, N.J. 07801 for latest flyer and sketch map.

HANOVER SQUARES -- Whippany, N.J.

Salem Drive School

2 & 4 Fridays

Although we dance September thru June with Al Aderente calling we will have two special dates July 14 and August 25 at the Brueche Estate on Hanover Road, Hanover, N.J....these are called "Swing and Swim" dates.

Our six sets of beginners will graduate just in time for the National Convention. They've done real well and we're proud of 'em all. Graduation is June 26 at the Madison, N.J. "Y". (Ed. Note - their names will be published in the September issue) Since our hours of dancing are a little earlier than most clubs, perhaps it would be a good idea to repeat them again - dancing starts at 7:45 and continues until 10:45...wouldn't want anyone to miss a tip.

president - Norman & Nancy Smith RD 2, Box 37, Boonton, NJ 07005 phone 201 - 334 - 3184

YOUR

SUMMER

FUN





- JUNE -23 - Ironia Reelers Open House for future students, Elementary School, NJ
- 23,24,25 Camporee, Lebanon State Forest, NJ

- JULY -

- 24 Cooke Echo Lanes, Mountainside, NJ (Country Promenaders)
- 27 Brundage Hullabaloo, off Rt. 59, Nanuet, NY (Hi Taws)
- 29 Flammer Immaculate Heart Of Mary School, Mahwah, NJ (Hix & Chix)
- 29,30, July 1 National Square Dance Convention, Philadelphia, Pa.
 - 5 Winter Garden State Plaza Auditorium, Paramus, NJ (NNJSDA)
 - 6 Flammer Immaculate Heart of Mary School, Mahwah, NJ (Hix & Chix)
 - 7 Kellogg Echo Lanes, Route #22, Mountainside, NJ (Y Squares)
- 8 Cooke Echo Lanes, Mountainside, NJ (Country Promenaders) Holmes - Egbert's Lake, Rt. 513, Marcella, NJ (Grand Prowlers Picnic)
- 11 Holmes Hullabaloo, off Rt. 59, Nanuet, NY (Hi Taws)
- 13 Kellogg Dining room, Bell Labs, Murray Hill, NJ (Bell Labs) Hix & Chix at Mahwah, NJ (see July 6)
- 14 16 Garden State Campers at White Sulphur Springs, NY
- 17 Caruso Brooklawn Jr. High School, Parsippany, NJ (Mountain Squares)
- 19 Forsythe Garden State Plaza Auditorium, Paramus, NJ (Swingin' Stars)
- 20 Hix & Chix at Mahwah, NJ (see July 6)
- 21 "Y" Squares at Echo Lanes (see July 7)
- 22 Country Promenaders at Mountainside, NJ (see July 8)
- Kopman West Essex High School, Caldwell, NJ (Grand Prowlers) 25 - Kellogg - Hullabaloo, off Rt. 59, Nanuet, NY (Hi Taws)
- 26 Amor Brooklawn Jr. High School, Parsippany, NJ (NNJSDA)
- 27 Hix & Chix at Mahwah, NJ (see July 6)

--- AUGUST ---

- 2 Holmes Garden State Plaza auditorium, Paramus, NJ (NNJSDA)
- 3 Flammer Immaculate Heart of Mary School, Mahwah, NJ (Hix & Chix)
- 4 Kellogg Echo Lanes, Mountainside, NJ ("Y" Squares)
- 5 Hendrickson West Essex High School, Caldwell, NJ (Grand Prowlers)
- 6 Staten Square Set picnic, Reinhardt's Picnic Grove, NY
- 7 Caruso Brooklawn Jr. High School, Parsippany, NJ (Mountain Squares)
- 8 Kellogg Hullabaloo, off #59 Nanuet, NY (Hi Taws)
- 10 Kellogg Dining room, Bell Labs, Murray Hill, NJ (Bell Labs) Hix & Chix at Mahwah, NJ (see August 3)
- 11-13- Garden State Campers at Brandywine Meadows, Honeybrook, Pa.
- 16 Aderente Brooklawn Jr. High School, Parsippany, NJ (NNJSDA)
- 17 Hix & Chix at Mahwah, NJ (see August 3)
- 18 "Y" Squares at Mountainside, NJ (see August 4)
- 19 Amor West Essex High School, Caldwell, NJ (Grand Prowlers)
- 22 Holmes Hullabaloo, off #59 Nanuet, NY (Hi Taws)
- 24 Hix & Chix at Mahwah, NJ (see August 3)
- 25,26,27 Big Top Weekend, Allentown, Pa. (Staten Square Set)
- 25,26,27 Garden State Campers Round Dance weekend, Stockholm, NJ
- 30 Hartenstein Garden State Plaza auditorium, Paramus, NJ (NNJSDA)
- 31 Hix & Chix at Mahwah, NJ (see August 3)

- SEPTEMBER -

- 2 Dubree Grand Prowlers call 895-2559 for location
- 6 Cooke St. Thomas Church, Old Bridge, NJ (NNJSDA)
- 7 Flammer Immaculate Heart of Mary School, Mahwah, NJ (Hix & Chix)
- 8 Paramus SID Club Samec call 261-5954 or 265-1494 for location-NJ
- 8.9,10 Garden State Campers Weekend Bear MTn., N.Y.

WHERE DID IT ALL START?



A little over 10 years ago square dancing in northern New Jersey was at a low ebb. There were twelve clubs, all starved for membership due to the lack of a good promotion program to make people aware of our recreation and instruction classes to give them an easy entrance into it. Many and varied attempts were made by callers, dancers and individual clubs to alleviate the situation, but with little or no results. The job was too big for an individual or small group to handle.

The idea of an association of square dance clubs stemmed from this unfortunate set of circumstances. It was being done in other states. Why not New Jersey? A group of six couples met in January 1958 and drew up a tentative

format, constitution and name. The clubs were consulted and the majority agreed to give it a try. In March 1958 our first delegates meeting was held in Edison, NJ with 11 out of 14 clubs represented (still in existence are Hill City, Richmond Dancers, Belles & Beaux [Swingin' Stars], Country Promenaders, Metuchen Square Dance Club, Bell Labs, Tenafly Squares, Valley Promenaders [Tenakill Twirlers], Raritan Reelers? [Plainfield Promenaders], Lincoln Square Set [Westfield?]). Delegates from these clubs gathered often that season to work out the many details. The first elected officers were from the original six couples....Al Aderente, president; Bob Keck vice-president; Hazel Preston, secretary; Jim Cameron, treasurer and Harlan Kennedy and Wally Moran, advisors...all began their term September 1, 1958.

Now the real work began with the setting up of committees; the beginner planning committee to organize classes; the scheduling committee to maintain a listing of club dates and special dances to aid the clubs in avoiding costly and embarrassing conflicts; the publicity committee, and others.

A treasury was begun through a kick-off dance with Les Gotcher calling. A picnic that spring also helped and stimulated interest in the forthcoming classes. The it rained all day, the 180 people who came had a ball. In September (1958) after discussing the possibility of a Round-of-the-Month the idea was adopted, a policy which is still being carried on today...with Ed & Elsie Rice, who incidentally were chairman of the first Callers Carnival in November 1962, as Chairman of the R/D Committee. October saw the first association class begun in Plainfield with classes soon following in other areas.

March 1959 saw the birth of our official publication GRAND SQUARE with Bob Keck as Editor. In the fall of '63 Bob, due to the pressure of business, had to resign as editor and was succeeded by Bill Geier. When history repeated itself two years later, Doc & Peg Tirrell became editors. Originally published three times a year and mailed to every Association member, it is now bi-monthly and distributed thru the delegates. It is supported through advertisers and a booster drive.

A summer dance program was set up to maintain interest during the months that the clubs were not meeting. This helped to hold some of the would-be drop-outs which occur during summer as well as help keep interest of new graduates until they became active regular members of clubs.

In September 1961, when we were 21 member clubs strong (Belles & Beaux, Circle Eights, Country Promenaders, Middlesex Boro S/D Club, Hanover Square. Hill City, Hill Top Squares, Merri-Eights, Merry Squares, Metuchen S/D Club, Plainfield Promenaders, Pioneer S/Ders, Rahway Square Set, Richmond Dancers, (our new veeps Zena & Tom Duncan were their delegates, while Jack & Carol DeCoste, our new presidents were delegates from the Pioneer Group), Tenakill Twirlers, Tenafly Squares, Wayne (Ramapo), Westfield, Parsippany Squares,

Grand Prowlers, Bachlor & Bachlorettes) the NNJSDA took on its biggest project of its history, the Seventh (and last) Atlantic Square Dance Convention with Bob Keck as General Chairman. Its successor was the Delaware Valley Square Dance Convention the following September.

In 1963 we had grown to 24 clubs and by the following year to 26 active member clubs. The Constitution and By-laws were revised with copies made available for all to have and it was decided with the increase of new responsibilities to have two couples serve as vice-presidents.

It is interesting in going over the archives to note that officers in this couple activity were not listed as couple until January '63. For a journey down Memory Lane, here is a listing of those who have guided us over the past ten years.....

1958-60 President - Al Aderente - Bob Keck Secretary - Hazel Preston Treasurer - Jim Cameron

1960-61 1961-62 1962 Bob Keck Bud Sibbald Bob Kellogg Bud Sibbald Bob Kellogg Frank Preston Mae Schriber John Adams Bill Geier Bert Starlin Bill Fengler Dan Hulin

1962-64 P - Frank & Hazel Preston V - Dan & Mildred Hulin S - Lew & Edna Sullivan

T - Dick & Janet Davis

1966-67

Doc & Peg Tirrell Carl & Jeanette Yedinack Gene & Grace Lucarini Al & Alice Fulmer Dick & Janet Davis

1964-65

1967-68 Jack & Carol DeCoste Al & Eleanor Searls Tom & Zena Duncan

Stan & Rosemary Brixie

Fred & Mary Bauerle

Gene & Grace Lucarini Max & Louise Brueche Jack & Carol DeCoste Don & Ann Flash Wally & Jan Trescott SQUARE DANCERS

1965-66

Jack & Carol DeCoste S - Don & Ann Flash T - Fred & Mary Bauerle

P - Gene & Grace Lucarini

V - Al & Eleanor Searls

NORTHERN NEW JERSEY SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION

COOL Summer Dancing

PRESENTS

June 21 - Beulah Samec - St. Thomas Church July 5 - Marty Winter - Garden State Plaza 26 - Manny Amor - Brooklawn Jr. H.S.

Aug. 2 - Hal Holmes - Garden State Plaza 16 - Al Aderente - Brooklawn Jr. H.S.

30 - Barney Hartenstein - Garden S.P. Sept 6 - Glen Cooke - St. Thomas Church

ST. THOMAS CHURCH - Rt. 18 Old Bridge, N.J. GARDEN STATE PLAZA -Auditorium is beneath Bamberger's, Paramus, NJ BROOKLAWN JR. HIGH SCHOOL between Rt. 46 & 10, just off #202, Parsippany, NJ

8 to 10:30 p.m. FREELOADERS

Marjie & Les Davis of Hi Taws Susie & Al Wilson of Somerset Hills

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to all NNJSDA members thru their clubs. A roster of club information is compiled and distributed every fall to all. On the theory that the more we spread the good word, the more folks we may get into our favorite couple activity, a pamphlet "What is Modern Western Square Dancing" is made available, free, for any callers or groups giving demonstrations, one night stands, etc.

Donation \$2.50 per couple

May We Be of Service?

June 27 - Al Brundage

July 11 - Hal Holmes

25 - Bob Kellogg Aug. 8 - Bob Kellogg

22 - Hal Holmes



at HULLABALOO just off route 59 80 West Nyack Rd. Nanuet, New York

if lost call - 914-HA9-8332

GARDEN STATE SQUARE DANCE CAMPERS

Future camp dates are July 14-16 in White Sulphur Springs, N.Y.; Aug. 11-13 in Honeybrook, Pa.; Sept. 8-10 at Bear Mountain, N.Y.; Sept.29-Oct. 1 in Freehold, N.J. A round dance weekend is Aug. 25-27 in Stockholm, NJ. Folks who camp and dance should contact presidents Joel & Alice Spivey 740 Oak Ave., Westfield, NJ. phone 201-233-4608 or 201-548-4159. It's fun!

HI TAW TWIRLERS -- Spring Valley, N.Y.

1,2,3,5 Tuesdays 4 Wednesday

Kakiat Junior High School Sr. High School, Rt. #59

By the time you read this we will have had our dinner dance, with Al Brundage calling, and our fish bowl drawing will have taken place. Who will our lucky couple be - the winner of the square dance weekend?

Starting June 27 we'll be dancing every other Tuesday at the Hullabaloo which is just off route 59 in Nanuet, N.Y. See our add for the line up of callers. Anyone desiring direction can call Ed Shearwood at 914-HA9-8332.

presidents - Les & Marjie Davis 13 Kevin Drive, Suffern, N.Y.

HILL CITY SQUARES -- Summit, N.J.

1,3,4 Thursdays

Wilson School

We may close down Hill City Squares club dancing for the summer, but you'll find many of our members attending the summer dances in the area. Comes Thursday evening September 21 we'll be starting up again. Dancing is from 8 to 10:30 PM. Visitors are always welcome. Oh! Mustn't forget ... our caller is Manny Amor.

president - Bob & Eleanor Skrabal 168 Central Ave., Murray Hill, NJ phone 201 - 464 - 3718

HIX & CHIX -- Mahwah, N.J.

every Thursday

Immaculate Heart of Mary School. Island Rd.

As is our policy, we'll be dancing every Thursday at the usual place, the usual time (8:30 -11) and with Jim Flammer at the mike. Guests are always welcome.

reporter - Ellie Tout 719 3rd Ave., Lyndhurst, NJ 201-939-4191

ISLE SQUARES -- Oakwood, Staten Island, N.Y. Oakwood Heights Church Hall, Guyon & Hylan Blvd. 2 & 4 Wednesdays

Our final dance of this season was June 14 when we closed with a buffet supper consisting of a large selection of homecooked and homebaked foods. Comes September we will be starting up again with Glenn Cooke calling on the 2nd Wednesday and Ken Casazza on the 4th Wednesday. Rounds are from 8-8:30 followed by square dancing until 11. See you there.

president - Ken & Gladys Hicks 22 Remsen St., S.I., N.Y. 914-YU7-0415

Les Gotcher at West Essex High School, Caldwell, N.J. Sept. 30

M T SQUARES -- Woodbridge Township, N.J.

1& 3 Saturdays School 19, Menlo Terrace

Our club season ended with our Dinner Dance, but M T Squares will be workshopping all summer on a regular basis. These sessions are for everyone...new dancers and old. Just call Bud Miller 761-5750 for more info. Our club caller is Barney Hartenstein with his taw, Virginia handling the rounds.

president - Bill & Michela Lane 35 Hilliard Rd., Old Bridge, N.J. 08857 phone - 201 - 254 - 5567

if your badges aren't becoming to you - then you should becoming to me

Bob (little ole badge maker) McDougall 168 Melrose Ave., Irvington, NJ phone 374-8473(home) or 375-9736 07111

MERRI-EIGHTS -- East Brunswick, N.J.

1 & 3 Fridays

Irwin School, Racetrack Rd.

After a most successful dinner dance, under the chairmanship of the new Association secretaries Stan & Rosemary Brixie, we are closing down for the summer months, but will resume square dancing September 15 with Beulah Samec calling. There is a half hour workshop at 8 with the regular club dance beginning at 8:30.

president - Art & Vera Poulsen RD#1, Box 127, Old Bridge, N.J. 08857 phone - 201 - 254 - 1436

MERRY SQUARES -- Bloomfield, N.J.

1 Friday

Hill Top Barn

Wound up the year with a most successful guest caller (Johnnie Roth) dance in June.

president - Cy & Fran Rattner 52 Deerfield St., Bergenfield, N.J. phone - 201 - 384 - 2350

METUCHEN SQUARE DANCE CLUB -- Metuchen, N.J.

1 & 3 Saturdays Moss School, Simpson St.

Have closed down for the summer, but comes September will be dancing again 7:30 - 8:30 rounds cued and taught by Bob & Edith Thompson and 8:30 - 11 squares called by Bob Kellogg.

president - Bill & Alice Fengler 24 Hamilton Terrace, Berkeley Heights, NJ phone - 201 - 464 - 1410

MOUNTAIN SQUARES -- Parsippany - Troy Hills, N.J.

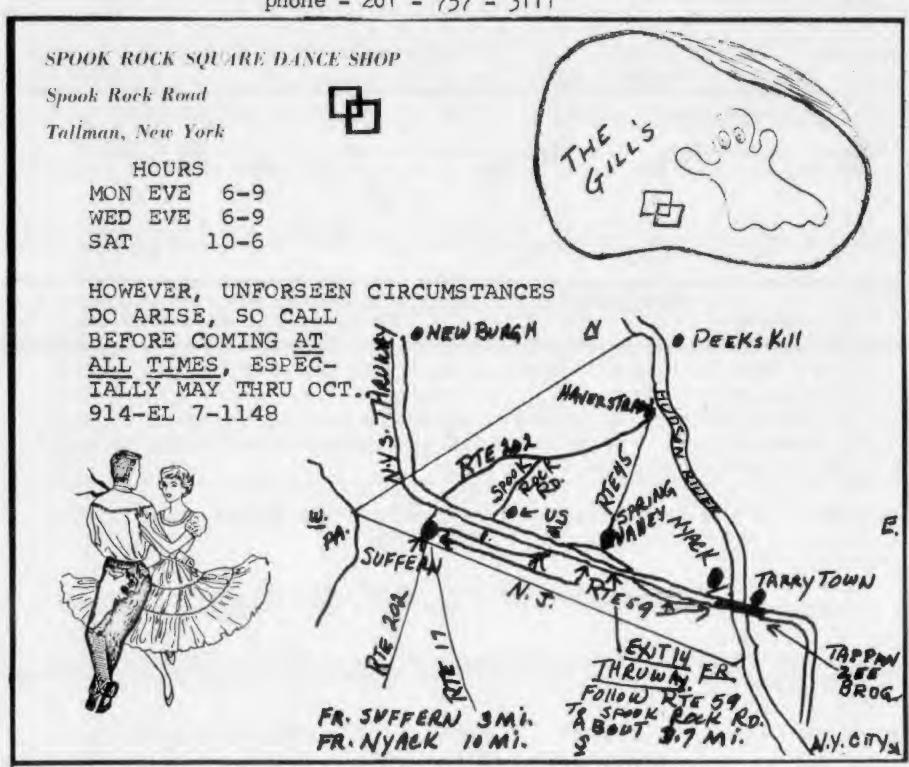
1 & 3 Mondays Brooklawn Jr. High School, Route 202

We'll be dancing at Brooklawn School this summer on July 17 and August 7 with Vinnie Caruso calling. All dancers are cordially invited to come join us. In September we will resume our usual schedule with Dick Pas-volsky calling through the first dance in November and Vin Caruso after that. Dancing is from 8 to 10:30.

presidents - Pam & Ray Zeliff 3 Page St., Madison, NJ 201-FR7-4004

Have closed down for the summer, but will resume operations in the fall....dancing 8 - 11. Hope you can visit us.

president - Maurice & Verna Rudd 635 Rockview Ave., N. Plainfield, N.J. phone - 201 - 757 - 3111



2 & 4 Saturdays

RAMAPO SQUARES -- Oakland, N.J.

Heights School, Seminole Avenue

The happy Tribe of Ramapo sends greetings to all squares we know, And to all those we hope to meet, this summer, as we go To dance with you at Philly...at Convention Hall, And to see all our friends again down at Bergen Mall, And to look for each dancer's family down at the Jersey Camporee, ...What a summer's in store for us all!

Ramapo's a Tribe of well-rounded squares
Whose "Rompers" are beginners and Roundancers "Rhythmaires".
The Ramapos have some "old Pros" and a group of eager Teens,
But most of our couples are friendly in-betweens.
...Starting September our schedule's terrific.
There'll be announcements, but to be specific,
We'll have Beulah Samec and Lee Kopman and a "special" Fall and Spring.
Come up and dance with us some night and have a happy fling!

reporter - Vi Clapp 52 Calumet Ave., Oakland, NJ 07436 201-337-7578 president - Ruth & Bill Buhler 249 Manchester Rd., River Edge, N.J. 07661 phone 201 - 262 - 6739



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REELERS of IRONIA -- Ironia, N.J.

1 & 3 Fridays

Elementary School, Dover-Chester Rd.

We closed for the summer on Friday June 23 with an Open House for future students. Callers for our fall season include Glen Cooke, Marty Winter, Jack Shoffner, Hal Holmes, Vin Caruso dancing is from 8-10:30.

president - Peg & Frank Drab Pleasant Hill Rd., Chester, NJ 201-879-5532

RICHMOND DANCERS -- Huguenot, N.Y.

2 & 4 Saturdays

Reformed Church, Amboy Rd. & Huguenot Ave.

After a "welcoming Out" square dance night for adult couples in May, this club started a class for beginners with Bruce Vertun as instructor.

presidents - Fred & Helen Lange 159 Franklin Ave., S.I., NY 212-GI7-2757

SOMERSET HILLS SQUARES -- Basking Ridge, N.J.

2 & 4 Tuesdays

Cedar Hill School Gym

This has been a busy year, our beginners class graduated in February; our round dance class graduated in May; we've visited and been visited by many different clubs and have given numerous demonstrations and already have a list of people for our next class. Our square dance caller is Vin Caruso with Bob & Lynn Long handling all the rounds. Come join us in the fall, or whenever you're in the vicinity. Dancing is 8-10:30.

president - Win & Ceil McCarty 40 Winding Lane, Basking Ridge, N.J. phone - 201 - 766 - 1051

STATEN SQUARE SET -- Elm Park, Staten Island, N.Y. St. Adalberts Hall - 366 Morningstar Rd. 1 & 3 Saturdays

On May 12, we rode again, SSS's Big Top Clowns with polka dots and pompoms...first to Philly to get Bill & Mill Hechter, then on to the Dudes & Dolls in Levittown, Pa.. The caller was Curley Custer. As we entered and squared up, someone shouted "We're being attacked, this may be Custer's last dance." Our Big Top weekend will be August 25-26-27 with Marny Amor & Frannie Heintz calling squares and Kay & John Adams doing rounds. Don't forget our annual picnic, Sunday, August 6th. Register now. Our regular fall season starts Sept. 2nd with Manny, John & Kay. Hope we'll see you. president - Bill & Ronnie Greenwood 135 Bryant Ave., S.I., NY 212-351-4064

SQUARENADERS -- Livingston, N.J. 1 & 3 Fridays

Heritage Jr. High School, Foxcroft & Hillside Ave.

Will resume in the fall. Call 201-265-5538 for more info'. Guests welcome.

SWINGIN' STARS -- Tenafly, N.J.

2 & 4 Saturdays

Church of the Atonement

Our special summer dance is Wed., July 19 at the Garden State Plaza in Paramus, N.J. when Max Forsythe will be calling. Dancing is from 8 on. Comes fall we will resume our normal schedule of Dick Jones every 2nd Saturday and Manny Amor every 4th one. Rounds from 7:30-8:30 will be handled by Mildred & Dan Hulin and Betty & Bud Sibbald. Squares 8:30-11.

president - Rita & Joe Buratovich 147 Field Ave., Hasbrouck Heights, N.J. phone - 201 - 288 - 4420

TENAFLY SQUARES -- Tenafly, N.J.

2nd Friday

Presbyterian Church

We will resume dancing in October with Jim Flammer back at the mike. Dancing is from 8:30 - 11 with delicious buns and coffee and congeniality time afterwards. All dancers are welcome to join with us.

president - Gus & Hilda Schmitz 96 Chestnut St., Rochelle Pk., NJ 07662 phone - 201 - 843 - 2513

TENAKILL TWIRLERS -- Cresskill, N.J.

3rd Friday

Bryan School, Brookside Ave.

Wound up the season with a most successful bustrip to Connecticut and a Graduation/Homecoming Dance. Chip Hendrickson will be back at the mike again in September, also Doc cueing the rounds and the Brombergs the folk dances. Guests are always welcome.

president - Lyle & Edna Hopper 302 Oak St., Ridgewood, NJ 201-444-1655

WESTFIELD SQUARES -- Westfield, N.J.

every Wednesday

Tamaques School, Willow Grove Rd.

Will resume dancing in September with Beulah Samec calling the squares and Bob & Jean Kellogg handling the rounds. Dancing time 8-10:30.

president - Lew & Margo Burnette Mountain Ave., Warren Township, Plainfield, N.J. phone 201-647-4528

WRONG WAY THARS -- Somerset, N.J.

1 & 3 Sundays

Community Fire House

Summer dance plans have not been confirmed as of this printing. On 3rd Sundays our caller is Jack Shoffner, on 1st Sundays we have guest callers. Dancing is from 8:30 to 11...with guests always welcome. .ees uoy erehT

president - Dick & Herschey Ubry RT #130, Box 370-13, Highstown, N.J. phone - 609 - 448 - 0490

"Y" SQUARES -- Westfield, N.J.

1 & 3 Fridays

Washington or Wilson Schools

Summer dancing at Echo Lanes on Rt. 22 in Mountainside, NJ is set for July 7 and 21; August 4 and 18 with Bob Kellogg handling both squares and rounds. This hall is air-conditioned. A SPECIAL dance on Nov. 3 when Dave Taylor from Michigan will be here. Please call for further information.

president - Boots & Bill Whitescarver 30 Hastings Rd., Berkeley Heights, N.J. phone 201-464-2937

and a new club in our area working to fulfill membership requirements
PARAMUS S/D Club - first dance Sept. 8; after that 1st Fridays. Callers
include Beulah Samec, Manny Amor. Call Dave Brockner 201-265-1494 or
Lee Ehrenberg 201-261-5954 for location...and by fall, the club's name.