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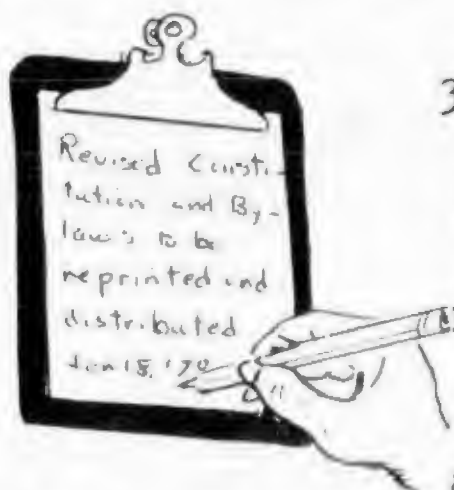
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for Happy Holidays

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According to our recently ammended By-Laws -
"...any member club planning to hold a special dance on a night other than their regularly scheduled night shall notify the Secretary. The same procedure applies to any member club desiring to change their regular night or location of dancing....dates will be recorded as received...in no event will the Secretary acknow-

ledge any specific date for more than 3 years in advance...a regularly scheduled dance of member clubs have priority over dance classes, workshops or any extra-curricular activities by any member club or Association caller." A 15 mile radius from the dance hall has been established as the accepted area of conflict. In the event of difficulties, the 3rd vice president shall attempt to effect a mediation, following the procedure as outlined in the By Laws, that is satisfactory to all concerned.



Square Dance Date Book

This DATE BOOK is intended to be a listing of SPECIAL dances and events - a supplement to regular scheduled club dances - not a

repeat listing of their caller or callers. CLEARANCE COMMITTEE Chairman- Evelyn & Al Hark - 309 S. Beverwyck Rd., Parsippany, NJ 201-335-2395

NOVEMBER

- 22 - Bud Weisen - Country Prom.
- 29 - NNJSDA - CAL GOLDEN in Hi School, Summit, NJ

DECEMBER

- 13 - Wally Schultz - Ramapo
- 31 - NEW YEARS EVE
Hix & Chix; Ramapo; Tenakill Twirlers; Hanover Squares & Sussex Spinners; Somerset Hills & Hill City & Y Squares; Swingin' Stars; MT Squares

JANUARY 1970

- 25 - Garden State Square Dance Campers-dinner dance
- 30- Bob Kellogg at Merri-Eights
Bruce Vertun & Al Aderente co-sponsored by Sussex Spinners and Hanover Sq. at Sparta

FEBRUARY - 1970

- 21- LIVE MUSIC with Chip Hendrickson at Maywood Avenue School - TT

MARCH

- 13- Glenn Cooke at Hanover Squares
- 14- Bob Page at Ramapo
- 31- Ken Bower at Somerset Hills

APRIL

- 4- Paul Andrews - Dancing Squares
- 11- Jerry Schatzer -Swingin' Stars
- 15- Decko Deck - Colonial Squares
- 21- "Tex" Browler - Hi Taws

MAY

- 2- Frank Lane - Grand Prowlers
- 9- Dave Hass - Hi Taws
- 15- Dick Ledger - Ironia Reelers
- 22- Kip Garvey - Grand Prowlers
- 29- Jim Cargill - Grand Prowlers



CONGRATULATIONS to the following who now have joined the long list of graduates and can be found squaring it up - welcome!

NW SDA

Teens from ESSEX RAMBLERS - graduated May 28, 1969

Bonnie Lu Barnes	206 Small Ave., No. Caldwell, NJ	
John/ Kathy Farley	4 Cresthill Rd., Verona, NJ	07044
Patrick Fehily	87 Deerfield Rd. West Caldwell, NJ	07006
Martha Hassert	93 Durrell St., Verona, NJ	07044
Robert Jacobus	42 Plymouth St., Fairfield, NJ	07006
Judi Knight	5 Willow Lane, No. Caldwell, NJ	
Susan Maciag	132 Horseneck Rd., Fairfield, NJ	07006
Debbie Milano	56 Pine St., Verona, NJ	07044
Patricia Murach	31 Glenroy Rd., Fairfield, NJ	07006
Ray Nichols	187 Washington St., Bloomfield, NJ	07003
Bill Watt	166 Linden Ave., Verona, NJ	07044

from: CALI HOES graduated Sept. 25, 1969

Millie and Bob Britton	Hedwig & Kingston Johns
Joseph Dassbach	Virginia & Harold Meyer
Marian Vaux	Sue & Linc Moseley
Bobbi & Ralph Eddy	Anna & Richard Schuster
Agusta and Arthur Gibson	Julia & Paul Schnizler
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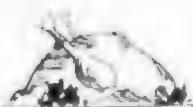
2 & 4 Thursdays

Mansfield Elementary School

We started our season with Wilson Hoff calling a very successful Introductory Dance in September. Twelve couples came out to see what Western Square Dancing is all about - seven plus squares danced.

"Come join us and have fun."

secretaries/reporters - Frank & Pauline Rabinsky 201-735-7884





CALI HOE SQUARE DANCE CLUB -- Asbury Park, N.J.
2 & 4 Thursdays Hayloft - 901 First Ave.

In September we had our annual graduation exercises with caller, Roy Keleigh, vp Henry Knoblock and his wife Grace in charge of arrangements. The class, the largest in the history of the club, had 45 graduates to be capped in black. The club officers presented each graduate with a hearty hand shake and diploma, representing many hours of class participation in the principles and elements of square dancing, a final tribute to their efforts. Afterwards refreshments were served. New classes have already begun! George Peterson called our special in November. Edith & Bill Hartenstein were co-chairmen of this dance.

reporter - John Connelly, 201-747-3342

PRINCETON SQUARES -- Princeton, N.J.
2 & 4 Fridays Riverside Sch., Riverside Dr. W & Prospect Ave.

After dancing the first and third Fridays in November and having no dance on December 26, we will be back to our regular schedule in January.

Our season opened with a fine review dance with Dick Lighthipe, our regular caller, at the mike. We had a fine turnout of 7 squares, including a number of visitors from Merri-Eights. Two weeks later we had our first guest caller, Glen Cooke, His calling was enjoyed by everyone - it was an extremely interesting and stimulating evening.

We are certainly glad to be members of the NNJSDA. Already we are having more visitors from other clubs. This is the place for newer dancers to visit - we still spend a lot of time reviewing standard basics.

reporters - Bill & Joan Mills 609-924-7135

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MOUNTAIN SQUARES -- Parsippany, N.J.
3rd Monday Brooklawn Jr. High School, Rt. 202

Hope everyone enjoyed our opening dance of the season. It was good to see you all again. Thanks to Sue & Andy Michaels - they will be our Delegates to the Association this year. Mark this date on your calendar - NOVEMBER 17th - Bob Mitchell will be moving us around the floor at Brooklawn Jr. High.

presidents - Don & Joan Graupner 201-887-2257

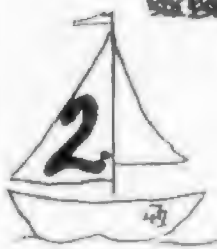


SPRING FLING WEEKEND - May 15, 16, 17 - 1970

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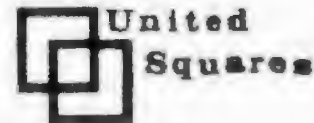


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RAMAPO SQUARES -- Oakland, N.J.

2 & 4 Saturdays

Heights School, Seminole Avenue

Ramapo's season started off behind-the-scenes in Sept. with a very productive meeting of the Executive Committee (11 couples) at a barbeque at the home of the Prexys Mickey & Gen DePauw. Club activities were firm-ed up to carry into '71. If these all turn out as good as the "vittles" served we can look forward to the continuing as a solid club.

As a result of the combined efforts of our club members in "infecting" friends and neighbors with the S/D bug throughout the year, and the Penny's excellent newspaper and radio publicity, the walls of our Open House were bursting with visitors anxious to try squaring up. At this writing 5 to 6 sets have joined the Sun. nite class and Doc & Peg's R/D Basic group now circles up with 8 couples the same nite.

The good numbers of sets that turned up for our first two Saturday nite dances bear out the fact that we have a great combination of callers in Lee and Jerry. It's a good sign when almost the entire attendance is still whooping it up when the final tip is called.

At our first dance, presentation of a Savings Bond was made to the grandparents Hardy & Marra for the first all-Ramapo baby. Don't be surprised, folks, to see little David Charles introduced to the S/D world one of these nights as a papoose on his dad's back. The winner in the 50-50 club was Rod Penny who (because the chance was too good for Al Brandt to pass up) was given his prize in pennies. No, Rod. our treasurer does not take pennies.

Don't forget that Wally Schultz of Janesville, Wis., will be back again for a real Holiday Hoe-Down on Dec. 13th. Remember the great after party-dance show he put on last year? The many friends of Ginny Allison may wish to drop her a note or card at the following hospital where she was transferred - New England Baptist Hospital, 91 Parker Hill Ave., Roxbury, Mass.

reporter - Vi Clapp 201-337-7578

GRAND PROWLERS -- Whippany, N.J.

1 & 3 Saturdays

Memorial School, Highland Ave.

Old friends and new callers, old familiar movements and new figures, old time hospitality and new graduates all mixed together provide the right recipe for a successful new season. At Grand Prowlers we have just about all these things. Our new club caller, Bob Mitchell, and guests Dan Shattell and Kerry Stutzman have set the pace for the season, and we are now looking forward to Mo Howard from upstate New York Nov. 15, and our big Christmas supper dance with Buck Fish on Dec. 20. Everyone is invited for this traditional Grand Prowlers event; bring along a covered dish and take pot luck - eating at 6:30 pm, dancing at 8:00 pm.

Our round dance program is especially promising this year with a half hour of instruction in new dances from 8-8:30 pm and two rounds cued by Dot Keller between tips.

presidents - Ed & Gwen Knight 201-895-2559

RUTGER PROMENADERS -- New Brunswick, N.J.

alternate Thursdays

Bartlett Hall, Rutgers University

In spite of all of the pressures of classes and studying, we've been having quite a turnout of old and new members. Our first dance of the season brought out all of the old dancers, but even more surprising was the welcome change of many new-comers who have been keeping up and more. In one night they have learned almost fifteen basic calls and were begging for more. Response has been so great in the past few seasons that we have a special dance just for beginners, this year on October 4th. This, however, was only the beginning. On November 13th the Rutgers Promenaders sponsored an open house dance in Blake Hall. Our own caller, Art Seele was there as well as many others with whom some of you are familiar. Hope you were able to join us!

Of course, if at any other time you are willing to experience the exciting college-style square dance, do come over and join us - Nov. 13,20; Dec. 4,18; Jan. 29.

reporter - Irene Barici

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As our 1969 season drew to a close, our wet weather jinx was broken with clear skies and beautiful scenery at "Albocondo Campgrounds" in our own Garden State. New officers are busy planning a full program for an outstanding 1970 season. Be sure to mark your calendars and join the dancing with our own Jack Shoffner, caller and guest callers Al Aderente in June and Glenn Cooke in August. Enjoy the round dancing with the Longs and the Tirrells. Also mark down Sunday, January 25, 1970 at 3 PM our annual dinner dance. Place to be announced later.

reporters - Russ & Adele Parsell

Square Dancing

FOR

with the Teen-Agers



At the last Delegate's meeting we mentioned receiving requests from teenagers as to whether they were welcome at Association clubs. We thank all of you who took time out to discuss this matter with your Club Members and Executive Board. It was gratifying to have so many answers. Several people reminded us of a dance several years ago when the overexuberance of young folk coupled with an obvious disrespect for the class rooms set a bad example for teen age and younger

ones to live down nowadays. We received comments ranging from "...that teens are expected to respect the use of the school for dancing, i.e. no running around..." - "...to act as mature adults considering all who have come out to enjoy the evening..." - "...the family that dances together-stays together."

Clubs where teens are welcome but encouraged to dance in their own squares unless invited into an adult set are RICHMOND DANCERS (prefer teens 16 and over) and CROSS TRAIL SQUARES - both at regular guest fees. Same set arrangement but lower price is STATEN SQUARE SET (50¢) and GRAND PROWLERS (50¢).

Extending a welcome to all teenage square dancers who have completed satisfactorily an NNJSDA approved instructional course in s/ding are: Cornwall S/D Club, Hi Taws, Hill City, Ironia Reelers, Princeton Squares, Ramapo (reg. member rate), Rutgers Promenaders, See Saw Squares, Sussex Spinners, Swingin' Stars, Warren Wheelers, Y Squares (\$1.50 per teen). Same welcome but with a lower admission rate: all NNJSDA dances, Cali Hoes (75¢), Circle Eights (50¢), Cloverleafs (75¢), Hix & Chix (75¢), Isle Squares (\$1.00), Squarenaders (50¢), Tenafly Squares (65¢), Tenakill Twirlers (50¢).

Special note from DANCING SQUARES: "...the members declined to vote on the question. The feelings -- both pro and con -- were so definite that we feel welcoming teenagers to dance with us would cause too much dis-sension. However, if competent, congenial teenager dancers should visit the club, they would be accepted as are our other guests..." From COLONIAL SQUARES: "...We feel this to be a question of little concern in Colonial Squares, inasmuch as we meet on Wednesdays -- a night that most teenagers would be at home with the school-books, but it was the consensus that older teenagers would be welcome as guests if they are able to dance at our challenge level..."

No replies were forth coming from: Country Promenaders, Hanover Squares, M T Squares, Merri-Eights, Mountain Squares and Somerset Hills.

Happy dancing!!!

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CLOVERLEAFS -- Paramus, N.J.

1st Friday

Bergen Mall Auditorium

We're glad so many of you have found your way to our new quarters at the Bergen Mall. We hope you will manage to take in stride a second change - a change in times. From now on the rounds will be from 7:30 to 8 and the dance will be from 8-11. Surely no one will object to an extra half hour of good dancing for the same price. We'll look forward to seeing you on December 5 with Dave "Hash" Hass calling and on January 2 with Manny Amor. Happy holidays.

reporters - Ed & Eleanor Querbach 201-652-7315

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

1 & 3 Saturdays

St. Adalberts Hall - 363 Morningstar Rd.

We're back in mid-season form...after a long, hot and wet summer. Coming up are two very special specials - the Anniversary Dance on Nov. 15 and our Christmas Dance on December 20. Grace & Gene Lucarini will do the honors at the Anniversary Dance at which time the Lucarini Award will be presented to the couple who have done the most to promote square dancing in the past year. Who will the honored couple be? Come and find out! Dot and Fred Gorshoff will be heading the Committee bringing us the Dec. 20 Christmas Dance and if our guess is right, this is going to be a bubbly and festive evening. Get your holiday spirits charged up early by joining us at this one too. Naturally, at both of these dances we are going to have our heavy artillery...Manny Amor calling the squares, John and Kay Adams calling the rounds. So come and find out what fun is and why so many dancers come to visit us. Fifteen or more squares at the dances can't be wrong. reporters - Mary & Al Schuhsler 212-SA7-8964

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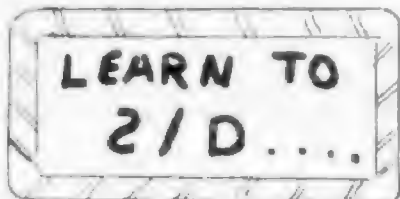
Cedar Hill School Gym, Peachtree Road

We wish to congratulate our caller and his wife, Vin and Ann Caruso, on their 25th wedding anniversary. Although Al Aderente will call on Nov. 11 we will be celebrating with Vin & Ann in our thoughts.

Our class has been moving right along. Every year they seem to learn more quickly. The 1968-69 raids were so successful we are continuing this year. We will have visited the Merri-Eights by publication date. On our schedule are the Grand Prowlers on Nov. 1, hosted by Cliff & Allison Harlan; the Staten Square Set on Dec. 6 with Al & Anna Fine in charge.

Making plans for New Years Eve? Somerset Squares, Hill City, and the Y Squares are already dreaming up the finest evening possible. Plan to join with us for a gala time.

secretaries/reporters - Bruce & Joan Olmstead 201-722-3434



In case some couples may like to review basics or perhaps some Drop-Outs want to return, we are printing a revised listing of Beginner Classes in the NNJ area. Contact the clubs or veeps Don & Jo Braly 201-647-4110

SUNDAY

OAKLAND, NJ 8-10:30, Ramapo Mtn. Lakes Country Club. H. Clapp for Ramapo.

MONDAY

CALDWELL, NJ - St. Aloysius Parish Hall, B. Vertun for Cross Trail Sq.

EAST BRUNSWICK, NJ at High School, Cranbury Rd. B. Samec for Merri-Eights.

LIVINGSTON, NJ - Northland Swim Pool Rec Hall. H. Holmes for Squarenaders.

MAHWAH, NJ - Homer Quick for Hix & Chix

NEW PROVIDENCE, NJ - Hillview School, Central Ave. B. Kellogg for Y Squares

PARAMUS, NJ - Spring Valley School, 7:30; B. Gray for Paramus Rec.

PORT MURRAY, NJ - at Adult School W. Hoff for Warren Wheelers.

STATEN ISLAND, NY - Dongan Hills United Units; M. Amor for Staten Square Set.

SUMMIT, NJ - Wilson School; D. Lighthipe for Hill City.

TEANECK, NJ - Community Church 7:30; Brombergs for Tenakill Twilighters.

TUESDAY

PRINCETON, NJ - Riverside School D. Lighthipe for Princeton Squares.

SPARTA, NJ - Alpine School; B. Vertun for Sussex Spinners.

TENAFLY, NJ - Mackey School, Jefferson Ave., M. Winter for Circle Eights.

WEDNESDAY

CRESSKILL, NJ - 50 Carleton Terr., Brombergs for Tenakill Twirlers.

IRONIA, NJ - Dover-Chester Rd. School; J. Delchamps for Ironia Reelers.

THURSDAY

BERNARDSVILLE, NJ - YMCA V. Caruso for Somerset Hills.

EDISON, NJ - High School, B. Hartenstein for M T Squares.

STATEN ISLAND, NY - Am. Leg. Post on Oregon Rd.; Samec for Richmond Dancers.

FRIDAY

ASBURY PARK, NJ - Hayloft. R. Keleigh for Cali Hoes.

TOO late to classify: MONDAY - Cornwall S/D Club - Cornwall, NY

WEDNESDAY - Paramus, NJ Farview Ave. Firehouse; Hix & Chix; J. Flammer

Ridgewood, NJ - At the "Y" - Sibbalds; Westwood, NJ Boro Hall.

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1 & 3 Tuesdays

Wilson School, Beekman Terr.

The Square Dance Year is really underway at Hill City at the same place and with the same caller, Manny Amor (Notice that we didn't say "same old caller".) From the start at least it looks like a highly successful year as we have an energetic set of officers and a fine class of graduates, both in number and in quality, to keep things lively during the coming year. Our first 2 dances had large turnouts and our Special with Jim Cargill had a really capacity crowd - about 20 squares. Manny has not lost that ability for generating an enthusiastic response to his fine calling. The latch string is still out for those wanting to get an evening of fun and good dancing at Hill City.

Our class is also under way at Wilson School on Mondays under the guidance of Alec Konkle with Dick Lighthipe doing the instructing. At last reports we had 5 squares with a few additions expected to check in.
reporters - Jamie & Louise Jamison 201-635-5086



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	Sat.	Nov.	22	8 - 11 PM	Bill Dann - Ridley Park, Pa.
	Sat.	Nov.	29	8 - 11 PM	Round Dance Special - Tam & Betty Jahnston, Washington, D. C.
	Sat.	Dec.	27	8 - 11 PM	Holiday Special - Paul Andrews - Bob Lintner - Lancaster, Pa.
	*Sun.	Jan.	11	2 - 5 PM	Larry Dee - Rosemont, Pa.
	Sat.	Jan.	24	8 - 11 PM	Baty Hall - Elkton, Md.
	Thurs	Jan.	29	8 - 11 PM	Ron Schneider - Ohio
	Sat.	Jan.	31	8 - 11 PM	Round Dance Special - Tom & Betty Jahnston, Washington, D.C.
	*Sun.	Feb.	15	2 - 5 PM	Spencer Yates - West Chester, Pa.
	Sat.	Feb.	28	8 - 11 PM	Jim Marshall - New Jersey
	*Sun.	March	22	2 - 5 PM	Paul Andrews - Lancaster, Pa.
	Sat.	March	28	8 - 11 PM	Charlie Benner
	*Sun.	April	12	2 - 5 PM	Bill Dannenhauer - Landenberg, Pa.
	Sun.	April	19	2 - 5 PM	Just Teen-Age Special Ken Miller - Fallston, Md.
	Sat.	April	25	8 - 11 PM	Jack Hague - Pittsburgh, Pa.

* Sunday Dances are "easy and relaxed" Dances - to help the Class Dancer become accustomed to other callers - to help the "rusty dancer" - to relax us all.

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

1 & 3 Fridays

Irwin School, Racetrack Road

Our first dance was a great success marred only by the fact that Beulah was sick and couldn't be with us. Marty Winter from Cresskill stepped in at the last minute and gave us a great dance. Thanks Marty. Our special events committee is planning a super special Christmas Dance for December 19 with door prizes, grab bag and all the rest of the fun. Our FIFTH FRIDAY SPECIAL is going to be held at Irwin School on January 30 with Bob Kellogg calling. So mark that date on next year's calendar and plan to be there --- you'll be glad you did.

reporters - Wayne & Dolores Moyer 201-828-2555



left to right- Gerry & Frank Marra; Hazel & George Rose; Peg & Doc Tirrell

FRANK & GERRY MARRA

10 years ago, after 20 years in Illinois moved to NNJ via California & Chicago area...former delegates to NNJSDA...round dance enthusiasts... between their work and keeping track of Gerry, Jr. who just presented them with their first grandchild, John (Lt. JG Navy), Judy (nursing major at Mo.), Joe (freshman Oregon State), Jan (high school) and James (4th grade) they still find time to dance - round dance advisors to NNJSDA.

GEORGE & HAZEL ROSE

started squaring it up 3½ years ago...after graduation became active with Hix & Chix as veeps, presidents twice, and delegates...members of Tenafly Squares, Tenakill Twirlers and charter members of Cloverleaves...daughter recently engaged...son in high school....serving their second term as advisors to NNJSDA presidents, Ray & Pam Zeliff.

DOC & PEG TIRRELL

Began squaring it up in '49 at Hackensack Y, but really became involved in club work upon moving to Cresskill in '51...have served in numerous capacities over the years for various clubs...at Brombergs insistence began teaching rounds 10 years ago..and even do so on vacations...were in SETS IN ORDER "Paging the Roundancers" in '68...since their 3 children graduated from Hi Taw Teens, they've become a real dancing family...also involved in too many other activities to name...are looking forward to when Doc leaves NYC and has a full time practice in Cresskill...6th NNJSDA presidents...currently NNJSDA Advisors & Editors of GRAND SQUARE.



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

alternate Fridays

WQXR 9th floor, NY TIMES Building

Dancing is after work - 6-8PM - so for a night on the town start with us. We have been getting great support from Harry Lazar's Whirlaway Club. Charlotte Horn was our guest caller at our Halloween Party

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

1 & 3 Saturdays

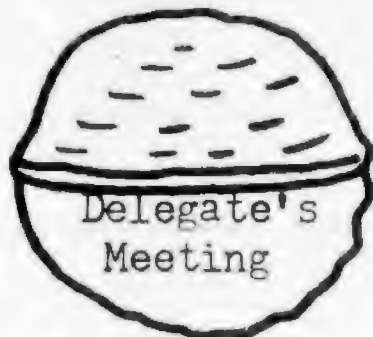
St. Stephens Episcopal Church, Erhardt Rd.

We're thrilled at how many NNJ dancers have been finding their way to our new club. Our caller is Jules Pozsar....and yes, teens are welcome.

In a Nutshell.....

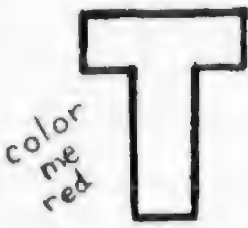
NNJSDA

September 21, 1969



".....Ray & Pam welcomed delegates and club presidents ...absent were Circle Eights, Mountain Squares, Rutgers Promenaders, Squarenaders, wrong Way Thars, Lamp-liters, Shongum Mountaineers and the representative from Garden State Campers.....The Hoppers thanked all who helped make the summer dances so highly successful - the callers who did a wonderful job at keeping everyone dancing, the dancers for their continued support and the graduates getting their first taste of summer dancing - 4 of whom earned their Freeloader Badges...Ed & Ruth Jacobe, Joe & Betty Weiss, Bob & Rira Burdette, and Jack & Lorrie Kracke...next years summer schedule has already left the planning board...Edna reminded all of the Cal Golden big dance on November 29 in Summit....Somerset Hills volunteered to serve refreshments...The Braly's reported $\frac{1}{2}$ of the questionnaires on classes were returned and reminded all that the NNJSDA was ready, willing and able to help...temporary badges and the basic manual is ready for distribution... Clearance Committee asked all to contact them if contemplating any departure from their regular schedule or planning a special dance....Frank Marra announced the October and November ROM's as chosen by the NNJRDC... GRAND SQUARES were ready for distribution...it was noted the promotional brochure "What Is Modern Western Square Dancing?" was again available for all clubs...each delegate who has officer material for consideration was asked to please submit their names to the NNJSDA Executive Board as a sort of talent reserve...and for future nominating committees...Princeton Squares a club of about 15 years now averaging 5 squares and Cali Hoes of Asbury Park a healthy club of approximately 15 years were both voted into full membership...Veep Fred Fields and Henry Knoblock accepted delegate badges for their respective clubs...after a healthy discussion the By-Laws and Constitutional changes were adopted...a receiving line welcoming our two newest members ended the meeting...refreshments were served by Hix & Chix and Merri Eights....followed by dancing to tapes...."

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SUMMER DANCE PROGRAM - 1969 - As you all know - all graduates are given a free admission slip to one NNJSDA summer dance; 87 were redeemed this year with the greatest percentage from Ramapo and Tenakill Twirlers. We had 4 Freeloaders.

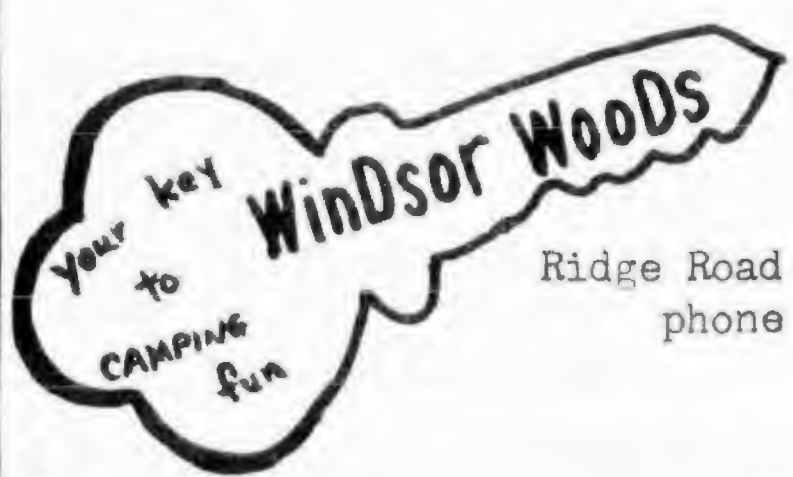
MANUAL OF BASIC WESTERN SQUARE DANCE FIGURES - has received an enthusiastic response - both from callers and dancers - it is available free for all approved NNJSDA classes.....contact veeps Don & Jo Braly at 399 Long Hill Rd., Gillette, NJ 07933 or the Tirrells. For folks outside our area it is available at printers cost.



In response to your requests - here is a listing of club callers in the NNJSDA.....



Al Aderente	10 Freeman St., Metuchen, NJ 08840	201-LI8-0677
Manny Amor	18 Glenn Ave., Lakewood, NJ 08701	201-363-2713
Al Brundage	83 Michael Rd., Stamford, Conn. 06903	203-322-6462
Vin Caruso	77 Lake Traile.,Mt. KimbleL.Morristown,NJ	
Ken Casazza	63 Jefferson Ave., S.I.,NY	212-EL1-1065
Glen Cooke	114 Seagirt Ave., Manasquam,NJ 08736	201-223-2094
Jim Flammer	233 Alberta Dr., Saddle Brook, NJ 07662	201-796-3857
Bob Gray	15 Holly Court,Woodcliff Lakes,NJ 07680	201-391-1834
Barney Hartenstein	303 N. Union Ave.,Cranford, NJ 07016	201-276-5198
Chip Hendrickson	26 Rock Ridge Rd., Newtown,Conn. 06470	203-426-0188
Wilson Hoff	RD, Annadale, NJ 08801	201-735-8587
Hal Holmes	80 Claremont Ave., Verona, NJ 07044	201-CE9-1780
Dick Jones	46 Hunter Lane,Hicksville, NY 11800	516-WE8-4866
Roy Keleigh	908 First Ave., Asbury Park,NJ 07712	201-775-0395
Bob Kellogg	1730 Oakwood Terr., Scotch Plains,NJ07076	201-889-4174
Lee Kopman	2965 Campbell Ave.,Wantagh,NY 11793	516-SU1-4164
Dick Lighthipe	804 Prospect St., Westfield, NJ 07090	201-233-7862
Dick Maddocks	159 Ridge St., Pearl River, NY 10965	914-PE5-2217
Bob Mitchell	78 Jefferson Ave.,Pompton Lakes,NJ07442	201-835-7691
Jules Pozsar	15 Elmwood Rd.,New City,NY 10956	914-NE4-4459
Jerry Salisbury	1248 Lakeshore Dr.,Massapequa Pk,NY11762	516-799-0820
Beulah Samec	458 Beech Rd., S.I.,NY	212-YU4-6618
Art Seele	190 West High St., Haddon Heights,NJ08035	609-547-9595
Jack Shoffner	147 Atlantic St., Metuchen,NJ 08840	201-LI8-5506
Bruce Vertun	321 Lake Shore Dr.,L.Hiawatha,NJ 07034	201-335-7421
Walt Walter	9 Alexander Ave., Montclair,NJ 07043	201-726-4718
Marty Winter	22 Waverly Pl., Cresskill,NJ 07626	201-568-1280



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Talk of your gremlins and errors!!! Ye Editor-typist sure pulled a lulu last issue!!! Typed up SQUARENADERS news to insert and guess what? Somewhere between the typewriter & the rubber cement it just disappeared!!! Maybe we left it in Maine where we finished up the work on vacation. Anyway our apologies for no news - and you even had it in ahead of the deadline.

SQUARENADERS -- Livingston, N.J.

1 & 3 Fridays

Hillside School

We opened our 1969 season with a card of guest callers. Good news!! We've been assigned to the Hillside School for the season - no more jumping around town from school to school. For classes we have secured the new Recreation Hall at the Northland Swimming Pool, for our Monday nite lessons. For additional information, please 'phone us weekends or evenings.
reporters - Em & Dot Balmer 201-992-2562



Announcing our Guest Callers

Dec. 20 BUCK FISH

Pat Lusk Supper before dance - Everyone welcome!

Jan. 17 RED CORRELL

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and on first Saturdays BOB MITCHELL

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SUSSEX SPINNERS -- Sparta, N.J.

2 & 4 Fridays

Alpine School, Andover Rd.

Our third season opened with a bang in September with Bruce Vertun as our club caller. It was very obvious that Bruce's summer workshops paid off for our club. We had a fine attendance with visitors from the Warren Wheelers, Somerset Hills and Hix & Chix.

There are 2 combined dances planned between the Sussex Spinners and Hanover Squares. The first one will be New Years Eve with Bruce and Glen Cooke calling at the Rockaway Valley Parish House in Boonton Township. The second one will be on January 30th at Alpine School in Sparta with Bruce and Al Aderente sharing the mike. Reservations are being accepted for these dances through any of the officers Mooneys 201-729-3205; Bolands 729-5832; Spaldings 383-9419; Saccos 697-5315. Our classes started with a large enthusiastic turnout. We have a half hour workshop starting at 7:30 pm before each of our regular dances. Coffee and cake are served.
reporters - Owen & Helen Fayne 201-729-3251

HANOVER SQUARES -- Whippany, N.J.

2 & 4 Fridays

Salem Drive School

What are you wearing when you are reading this? Make a note of it, and wear it at a special "Come as You Are" dance on the fifth Friday in January at Salem Drive School. You may receive a 'phone call at any time in that case - come attired as you were when you were called!

Make reservations now for the annual New Years Eve dance at the Rockaway Valley Parish Hall on December 31st at 9 pm. Bruce is the caller. This year the dance is co-sponsored by Hanover Squares and the Sussex Spinners. Contact the treasurers immediately.

reporters - Paul & Myra Jones

201-992-3595

- latest word - ↓ ↓ ↓

January 30

ALPINE School-Sparta

If you are planning to attend their Fifth Friday Special - and it sounds like fun - check WHERE? Both reporters acknowledge co-sponsorship of the event, but from reading the above, they have yet to agree on the place. Have fun. What are you

wearing as you read this????? Disregard Come As You Are! they were afraid too many of you read in the bath tub! Just come in s/o clothes.....

CORNWALL SQUARE DANCE CLUB -- Cornwall, N.Y.

1 & 3 Wednesdays

Central High School, Main Street

Quite a few joined in the fun of the Hi Taws mystery bus ride. We're starting to travel to other clubs and were very pleased to have a group from Boots and Bows Club come dance with us in October. Our new class is underway Mondays and we sure do get angel support from our club. Don't forget we only dance 1st and 3rd Wednesdays now.



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M T SQUARES -- Menlo Park, N.J.

1 & 3 Saturdays

School #19, Menlo Terrace

Our dance season started out as a smashing success with Barney Hartenstein calling a great dance with our always gracious Virginia teaching the rounds....and with our usual array of home baked delicacies.

Our annual Halloween costume dance is now behind us, and anyone looking in the window would never believe we were square dancers. Everyone surely outdid themselves with unusual costumes! With the holidays fast approaching, everyone's eagerly looking forward to our Christmas Dance on December 20 and our New Years Eve Party. The latter is getting bigger & better each year with dancing, games, food, refreshments, and the best people ever. If you would like more information contact our presidents - Skip & Barbara Samsøe 548-5920, or ourselves. We guarantee a good time for all
reporters - Stan & Rosemary Brixie 826-0533

CIRCLE EIGHTS -- Tenafly, N.J.

2 Wednesday; 4 Friday

Mackay School, Jefferson Avenue

Marty Winter is our caller with Doc & Peg Tirrell handling the rounds. Workshops are 1 & 3 Wednesdays; classes on Tuesdays - same place.

SWINGIN' STARS -- Maywood, N.J.

2 & 4 Saturdays

Maywood Avenue School

The club got off to a swinging start with Bob Paris and continues to swing with Dick Jones on the 2nd and Manny Amor on the 4th Saturdays. The Round Dance Hour from 7:30-8:30 with the Hulins and Sibbalds is a most popular feature of the club.

How better to spend New Years Eve than dancing to the calling of that master of fun, Manny Amor. The place is Park Ridge Masonic Hall - So, come and usher in the New Year with us.

reporter - Dorothy Pullman 201-568-5138

Y SQUARES -- New Providence, N.J.

1 & 3 Fridays

Hillview School, Central Avenue

The Fall season has started with a bang....our beginner classes started and promises to bring a few new dancers on the scene comes spring....some club visitations and many new guests at our dances have provided an exchange of friendship....Bob Kellogg's able calling has assured us of some good dancing...Why not come see for yourself???

HAVE SUITWILL RENT.....Santa's suit, that is. The "Y" Squares have a beautiful Santa suit, complete with mask and will rent it on a first come first served basis. The rental charge is \$2.00 with a \$10.00 deposit required. Anyone interested please call the club presidents, Ed & Myrtle Ramsey at 201-356-3746. Happy holidays!



Our Christmas dance will be held on December 19th. Santa will visit and give out the presents to good boys and girls during refreshments. (Please bring a 50¢ exchange gift each). Do plan to be with us. We join in wishing all a happy and healthy holiday season.

reporters - Rose & Richie Ericson 201-687-0342

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Keep in mind our Al "Tex" Brownlee dance in April - Watch for flyers.

TENAFLY SQUARES -- Tenafly, N.J.

2nd Friday

Presbyterian Church, Magnolia Ave.

Half a hundred square dancers showed up at Fellowship Hall for the 1st dance of our 18th season, and were they surprised! The caller at the mike wasn't Jim Flammer, but Marty Winter! (Jim had contracted some kind of bug, and couldn't make it.) Marty gave us a delightful evening of relaxed dancing. For the round dancers, we had Ed Shearwood to cue the between-tips rounds. After an intermission for our traditional coffee and buns, we squared up for an "Invitation Tip", a new feature in which you are permitted to choose the dancers you want in your set. That last tip was the fastest one of the evening. Secretaries-Frank & Marie Poole 201-342-3375

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

1,2,3,5 Tuesdays; 4 Wednesday

Franklin Avenue School

We've been having very good dances this year thanks to our callers and our increasing number of members and friends. Our next guest caller will be Gordon Lentz on Nov. 18. Al Brundage will be calling Nov. 26, but there will be no dances Dec. 24 and 30 due to the holidays. Our Christmas party will be Dec. 16 and instead of the usual donations, we are asking everyone to bring a gift which will be given through the school to St. Agatha's Home in Nanuet, N.Y. There are mostly girls in the orphanage and please remember the 10-15 year olds who are so often forgotten. If you don't have a chance to get a gift, your donation that evening will be used to buy one.



The Shearwoods are cueing our rounds this year and will also be teaching them. Come at 8:00 on the first and third Tuesdays to learn the new rounds and then we square up at 8:30. Hope we'll be seeing you.

reporters - Les & Marjie Davis 914-EL7-0970

COUNTRY PROMENADERS -- Cranford, N.J.

2 & 4 Saturdays

Methodist Church, Walnut & Lincoln Streets

On Sept. 27 our club caller Glen Cooke sent us off to another great season of square dancing. On Nov. 22 Bud Weisen will call for us and on Dec. 13 Glen will return for our Christmas Grab Bag Dance, to which bring a His & Her gift for 50¢.

When Glen picks up the mike the whole floor comes alive and things do happen. Bob & Lynn Long are too good for words on the round dancing. Do come and dance with us for great square and round dancing.

reporters - Al & Mimi Roth 212-IN9-4153

DANCING SQUARES -- Cranford, N.J.

1 & 3 Saturdays

Bloomington Avenue School

We launched our fall season with a class of three squares of very enthusiastic and very compatible (like all devotees of this pastime!) beginners. The group is under the instruction of our own, very competent, Bob Kellogg, and we know they'll enjoy the sessions.

At this printing, the anticipation of a happy evening of dancing with Frank Seidelman will have been realized. We hope all of you who attended enjoyed the evening. Remember, the latchstring is always out at Dancing Squares. Do come and share with us a friendly evening of dancing.

CO-secretaries - Madonna Haitzma & Charles Davison

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

Members renewed old acquaintances at coffee hour prior to our opening dance. The gathering was highlighted by the delectable home made desserts. It was nice to see Marty Clifford Jr. who was on leave from the Navy. We are fortunate for the continued attendance of the McCarry's despite their curtailed square dancing. We are grateful for their active participation in the round dances. Our thanks to Jeannette Siringano and her committee for a wonderful Columbus Day dance.

Several of our couples will participate this fall in demonstrating square dancing at the annual "Old Home Days" held in historic Richmondtown.

Before we know it the Christmas Dance will be approaching. Be sure to circle December 13th on your calendar. With the girls home baked specialties on the table, and Beulah at the microphone, a super evening is in store!
reporters - Doris & Harry Campbell 212-YU4-7031

IRONIA REELERS -- Ironia, N.J.
1 & 3 Fridays Elementary School, Dover-Chester Road

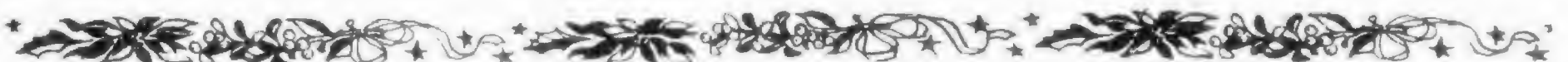
A most successful introductory dance for beginners was held Wednesday, September 24th. The "Beginners Club", numbering 16 couples, took their first steps towards Western Style Square Dancing on October 1st, with Wilson Hoff doing the calling. Anyone interested in these lessons may call Jeff Delchamps at 201-584-7729.

So nice to see so many of our friends joining us in "fun" dancing with our regular callers, Vin Caruso and Glenn Cooke.
reporters - Al & Dee Kojak 201-584-4167

COLONIAL SQUARES -- Clark, N.J.
every Wednesday Mildred Terrace School

We have had an enthusiastic response to the series of workshops Beulah has been conducting on Tuesday evenings in advanced square dancing. There are still a few sessions to go, so if you only need a little brushing up on the latest calls, go down to Abraham Clark High School (in Clark) on Tuesday evenings, 8-10. There is still time to get in a few classes.

Meanwhile, back at Mildred Terrace, Beulah has been giving the club challenging dances on Wednesday evenings. We'll wind up 1969 with our Christmas Party on December 17. There will be no dances on Dec. 24 or 31, but January 7 will find us back again, ready for several more months of good dancing.
reporters - John & Grace Heinsohn 201-CH5-8283



HIX & CHIX -- Paramus, N.J.

every Thursday

Farview Avenue Firehouse

Our fall season has started and we have 2 beginners classes in full swing, one on Mondays in Mahwah with Homer Quick teaching and one at the Fire House on Farview Ave. in Paramus with Jim Flammer teaching; both are well attended. Our pot luck supper was a delightful, gastronomical happening - such an array of delicious food to whet the appetite of the beholder and to satisfy a ravenous appetite.

We had two "travellers jaunts", one group to Sussex Spinners and one to Staten Square Set, thereby earning credits for their traveller's bar. Inasmuch as Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Years fall on Thursdays, there will be no dancing at Hix & Chix those nights. Plans are progressing nicely for our Christmas party which will be held the third Thursday in December and our New Year's Eve Party at the Hilltop Barn in Bloomfield, on New Year's Eve. Elly Tout and George Alberts are teaching rounds on Thursday nights 7:45 until 8:30 pm. You are welcome, so "C'mon down".

reporter - Teddy Kamerling 201-773-8914

TENAKILL TWIRLERS -- Cresskill, N.J.

3rd Friday

Bryan School, Brookside Avenue

It was delightful to see all our old and new friends turn out for the opening dances. By the time this appears in print, the Tenakill Twilights graduation will have happened and everybody's thoughts will be on turkey and preparing for Santa. So I will just mention our regular dances on third Fridays AND the traditional New Years Eve dance at the Reformed Church on the Hill - Lexington Ave., in Cresskill. See Peg Tirrell, the hostess with the mostest, for details.

Mark your calendar now for the Fiddlers Dance on SATURDAY, February 21st at the MAYWOOD AVENUE SCHOOL in Maywood. Earn your fiddler's badge - or a hanger for your original one of last year. And speaking of badges - have you seen the black cats? Perfect for Halloween, let alone for dancing on Friday the 13th! reporter - Dorothy Pullman 568-5138

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ISLE SQUARES -- Oakwood Heights, Staten Island, N.Y.

2 & 4 Wednesdays

Community Church, 345 Guyon Avenue

Our new season got off to a good start. We've had two dances with Glenn Cooke calling one and Ken Casazza calling the other. A good time was had by all. We are planning a Thanksgiving Eve dance with Bruce Vertun calling. A buffet will be served and door prizes given. And while you are marking your calendars don't forget Dec. 10 - our Christmas dance with Glenn Cooke calling. We invite everyone to join us for a night of good fun and enjoyable dancing.

reporters - Jim & Bev Roeser 212-351-3939

VOO-DOO RUMBA ROM - January 1970

Dance by Louis & Mona Cremi, 160 El Paseo, Tustin, Calif. 92680

Record: HI-HAT 867

Joe Leahy Band

Starting Positions: Open-Facing for Intro, Closed pos for Dance.

Footwork: Opposite, directions for M except as noted.

INTRO

(1) WAIT ; (2) WAIT ; (3) SIDE, CLOSE, SIDE, TCH; (4) BOTH SPIN, 2, 3, -;

1-2 In Open-Facing pos M facing wall with M's L hand and W's R joined wait 2 measures;

3 Step swd LOD on L, close R, swd L, touch R to L;

4 Moving slightly R LOD spin R-fc (W L-fc) R, L, R & end in CP M face wall;

DANCE

(1)(box) SIDE, CLOSE, FWD, -; (2) SIDE, CLOSE, BACK, -; (3) W UNDER, 2, 3, -; (4) W AROUND, 2, 3 (to Bfly), -;

1 In Closed pos M facing wall start a full box stepping swd on L, close R, fwd L, hold 1 ct;

2 Complete box stepping swd RLOD on R, close L, bwd R, hold 1 ct;

3-4 M does another full box (small steps) in 2 meas (L, R, L, -; R, L, R, -) (as W moves under the M's L hand and her R to make a complete small circle turning R face R, L, R, -; R, L, R, -); Note: Keep M's L hand & W's R joined throughout the circle and end in Butterfly pos with M facing wall.

(5) ROCK SIDE, RECOV, (L-Open) CROSS THRU, -; (6)(Bfly) ROCK SIDE, RECOV, CROSS THRU (to SCP), -; (7) FWD TWO-STEP; (8) FWD TWO-STEP (to CP);

5 In Butterfly pos rock swd LOD on L, recover on R, break to momentary L-Open pos while crossing thru twd RLOD on L (both XIF), hold 1 ct;

6 Blend back to Butterfly pos and rock swd RLOD on R, recover on L, cross thru twd LOD on R (both XIF) blending to Semi-Closed pos, hold 1 ct;

7-8 In Semi-Closed pos and starting on M's L do 2 fwd two-steps LOD and end by blending back to Closed pos with M facing wall;

(9)(box) SIDE, CLOSE, FWD, -; (10) SIDE, CLOSE, BACK, -; (11) W UNDER, 2, 3, -; (12) W AROUND, 2, 3 (to Bfly), -;

9-12 Repeat the action of meas 1 thru 4;

(13) ROCK SIDE, RECOV, (L-Open) CROSS THRU, -; (14)(Bfly) ROCK SIDE, RECOV, CROSS THRU (to SCP), -; (15) FWD TWO-STEP; (16) FWD TWO-STEP

13-16 Repeat the action of meas 5 thru 8 ending in Butterfly pos M facing wall;

(17) (Vine) SIDE, BEHIND, SIDE/TURN (to bk-to-bk), -; (18) SIDE, BEHIND, SIDE / TURN (to face in CP), -; (19)(box) SIDE, CLOSE, FWD, -; (20) SIDE, CLOSE, BACK, -;

17 Starting in Butterfly pos do a vine LOD swd L, cross R behind L (both XIB), swd L pulling trailing hands thru and turning to back-to-back pos, hold 1 ct;

18 In Back-to-back pos step swd LOD on R, cross L behind R (both XIB), swd R and turn back to face partner and blend to Closed pos with M facing wall, hold 1 ct;

19-20 Repeat meas 1 and 2 of dance;

(21) BACK IN, 2, 3, -; (22) W TURN, 2, 3 (to Shadow), -; (23) CHASE, 2, 3, -; (24) W TURN, 2, 3 (to CP), -;

21 In Closed pos back in twd COH L, R, L, hold 1 ct;

22 M moves 3 more steps bwd twd COH (R, L, R) as W turns L-face a 1/2 turn (L, R, L) to end both facing wall with M behind the W, hold 1 ct;

23 M chases W twd wall L, R, L, hold 1 ct;

24 M steps fwd short steps R, L, R (W again turns L-face a 1/2 turn in 3 steps to end facing M in Closed pos), hold 1 ct;

(25) ROCK FWD, RECOV, BACK, -; (26) ROCK BACK, RECOV, FWD, -; (27)(Scis) SIDE, CLOSE, CROSS, -; (28) (Scis) SIDE, CLOSE, CROSS, -;

25 In Closed pos rock fwd on L, recover bwd on R, step bwd on L, hold 1 ct;

26 Rock bwd twd COH on R, recover fwd on L, step fwd R, hold 1 ct;

27 Step swd LOD on L, close R to L, cross L in front of R (W XIB), hold 1 ct;

28 Step swd RLOD on R, Close L, cross R in front of L (W XIB), hold 1 ct;

(29)(Twisty Vine) SIDE, CROSS, SIDE, CROSS; (30) PIVOT, -, 2, -; (31) TURN TWO-STEP; (32) TURN TWO-STEP;

29 Step swd LOD on L, cross R in back of L (W XIF), swd L, cross R in front of L (W XIB);

30 Blend to tight Closed pos and do a R-face couple pivot in 2 slow steps, L, -, R, -;

31-32 Start on M's L and do 2 R-face turning two-steps LOD and end still in Closed pos with M facing wall ready to repeat the dance;

DANCE GOES THRU TWICE

Ending: ROLL (LOD), -, 2, -; 3, -, POINT, -;

After completing the turning two-steps in Meas 31-32 the 2nd time thru the Dance both solo roll LOD & diag away from each other (M L-fc, W R-fc) in 3 steps (1 full turn) L, -, R, -; L, -, ending facing partner but slightly away from each other then Point R twd partner as music ends.

CLASSIC for December-January - Keeshka Polka - Blue Star 1680

AM I BLUE

R O M - December 1969

Composers--Opal & Joe Cohen, 17224 Donmetz St., Granada Hills, Calif. 91344

Record--HI HAT #861 -- Frank Sterling Band

Position--Diag Open-Facing for Intro, Closed pos with M facing LOD for Dance.

Footwork--Opposite, Directions for M except where noted.

- MEASURES ----- INTRODUCTION -----
- 1---4 WAIT: WAIT: APART, -, POINT, -; TOGETHER (to CP), -, TOUCH, -:
1-2.... In Open-Facing pos with M facing diag LOD & twd wall wait 2 measures;;
3.... Step apart on L, hold 1 ct, point R twd ptr, hold 1 ct;
4.... Step together on R blending to Closed-Pos with M facing LOD, hold 1 ct, tch L to R, hold 1 ct;
- DANCE -----
- 1---4 (CP) FWD, 2, 3, -; FWD, -, FWD, -; TURN (1/2 R), 2, BK, -; (Hitch) BK, CLOSE, FWD, CLOSE:
1.... In Closed-Pos walk fwd 3 quick steps (L, R, L), hold 1 ct;
2.... Walk 2 slow steps LOD R, -, L, -;
3.... Stay in Closed-Pos & do a 1/2 RF turn in 2 steps (R, L), step bwd LOD on R, hold 1 ct (Q, Q, S, -);
4.... (Hitch 4) Bwd LOD L, close R, fwd L, close R;
- 5---8 (CP) FWD TWO-STEP: (Sciss Thru) SIDE, CLOSE, THRU, -; (Vine) SIDE, BEHIND, SIDE, IN FRONT; PIVOT, -, 2, -;
5.... Starting on M's L & moving RLOD do a fwd two-step (Still in Closed-Pos);
6.... Turn 1/4 LF & step swd RLOD on R, close L, cross thru on R (both XIF) to momentary SCP facing LOD, -;
7.... Blend quickly to Closed-Pos with M facing wall & starting on M's L do a fast 4 step vine LOD (side, both XIB, side, both XIF);
8.... 3/4 R couple pivot in 2 slow steps (L, -, R, -) end Closed-Pos M facing LOD;
- 9---12 (CP) FWD, 2, 3, -; FWD, -, FWD, -; TURN (1/2 R), 2, BK, -; (Hitch) BK, CLOSE, FWD, CLOSE;
9-12... Repeat the action of Meas 1 thru 4.
- 13-16 (CP) FWD TWO-STEP: (Sciss Thru) SIDE, CLOSE, THRU, -; (Vine) SIDE, BEHIND, SIDE, IN FRONT; PIVOT, -, 2, -;
13-16... Repeat the action of Meas 5 thru 8. (End in Closed-Pos M facing LOD)
- 17-20 (Prog Sciss) SIDE, CLOSE, CROSS, -; SIDE, CLOSE, CROSS, -; FWD, -, HOOK, - (W Twirl); AROUND, 2, 3, - (to CP):
17.... In Closed-Pos M facing LOD step swd L, close R, cross L over R (W XIB) to SCar-Pos facing diag twd wall & LOD, hold 1 ct;
18.... Step swd R, close L, cross R over L (W XIB) to Bjo-Pos facing diag twd COH & LOD, hold 1 ct;
19.... Step fwd L diag twd COH & LOD, -, hook R in front of L, - (W twirls RF in 3 steps twd COH to end facing M & diag RLOD & wall);
20.... M unwinds LF with wgt on both feet then shifts wgt to R as W walks around him (L, R, L), end in Closed-Pos with M facing wall;
- 21-24 (Hover) FWD, SIDE, SIDE, CROSS (Thru); (Vine) SIDE, BEHIND, SIDE, THRU;
(CP) TURN TWO-STEP: TURN TWO-STEP;
21.... In Closed-Pos (M facing wall) step fwd L, rock swd RLOD R, step swd LOD on L, cross thru twd LOD on R (both XIF);
22.... Again take Closed-Pos & do a fast vine LOD swd L, cross R behind (both XIB), swd L, cross thru on R (both XIF);
23-24... Starting on M's L do 2 RF turning two-steps LOD & end M facing wall;;
- 25-28 (Opp Limp) SIDE, CROSS, SIDE, CROSS; SIDE, TCH, SIDE, TCH; (Opp Limp) SIDE, CROSS, SIDE, CROSS;
SIDE, TCH, SIDE, TCH;
NOTE: The "Limp Steps" in measures 25 & 27 have opposite cross steps with M crossing in bk of L & W crossing in front of R.
25.... Step swd L, cross R (see note above), swd L, cross R;
26.... Step swd L, tch R, swd RLOD on R, tch L;
27-28... Repeat the action of Meas 25 & 26;;
- 29-32 (1/2 Box) SIDE, CLOSE, FWD, -; FWD, -, SIDE, CLOSE; (Hitch) BK, CLOSE, FWD, -;
(Sciss Thru) SIDE, CLOSE, THRU, - (to CP):
29.... In Closed-Pos step swd LOD on L, close R, fwd L, hold 1 ct;
30.... Slow fwd on R (twd wall), -, swd LOD on L, close R; (SQQ)
31.... Step bwd twd COH on L, close R, fwd L, hold 1 ct; (QQS)
32.... Step swd RLOD on R, close L, cross thru twd LOD on R (both XIF) & start pickup of W to Closed-Pos facing LOD (2nd time end M facing wall);

----- DANCE GOES THRU TWICE -----

- ENDING: TWIRL, -, 2, -; SIDE, CLOSE, APART (ack), -;
1.... W twirls RF as M walks fwd LOD 2 slow steps L, -, R, -;
2.... In Closed-Pos step swd LOD on L, close R, step apart & acknowledge as music ends (M on L, W on R), -;

The NORTHERN NEW JERSEY ROUND DANCE COUNCIL is an organization of NNJ leaders who meet bi-monthly with the NNJSDA R/D Advisor, to review recent rounds, exchange information and select the ROM's and Classic for a 2 month period. This cooperative and congenial group has sponsored several Round Ups - next one planned is for Sunday afternoon - April 26, 1970. Membership in the Council is open to all who teach or cue R/D at NNJ clubs. Once again we cordially invite all area NNJ r/d teachers and leaders to attend our next meeting - Sunday afternoon - January 4, 1970 at Doc & Peg Tirrell's 3 Churchill Road, Cresskill, NJ 07626 phone 201-568-5857. 2 PM

Square Dancing with the TEEN-AGERS!



ESSEX RAMBLERS -- Verona, N.J.
Wednesdays, 7-9 pm Essex County Bldgs - 900 Bloomfield Ave.

We are a 4H Club with Walt Walter as caller and advisor. Last May we graduated an even dozen new dancers...and are hoping to produce a few more teen dancers this year. For further information contact our caller and advisor at 201-746-4718.

SHONGUM MOUNTAINEERS -- Morris Plains, N.J.
every Tuesday County Buildings

For the first time we took the summer off from dancing. We've started our new season with a general meeting discussing activities for the year and electing new officers: Linda Kaiser, President; Kevin Bruno, veep; Kathy Moran, secretray; and Clare Hoffman, treasurer. We are happy to say Bob Mitchell will be calling on first and third Tuesdays and on second and on fourth we'll dance to tapes and records. We had a Halloween party and are planning a demonstration dance in November at the Morris View Home for the Elderly. The club is open to new members until the end of November and we will be happy to greet anyone of junior high age and up.

Our advisers are the Knights and we welcome Mr. and Mrs. Moran as new assistants 201-625-0275. Call either one for further information. We would like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Al Hark for their assistance in the past.
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TEEN PROMENADERS -- Berkeley Heights, N.J.
1 & 3 Sundays, 2-4pm Little Flower Church, Plainfield Ave.

Our new year got rolling with a bang. Numerous teenagers have joined the fun of square dancing with Dick Lighthipe. All our "old" members have returned for another year with a few exceptions of those off to college.

Our annual Christmas party will be held on December 21 - every teenager is welcome to come for a feast and dancing. For further information call our president, Rick Whitescarver at 201-464-2937.

reporter - Vicki Whitescarver

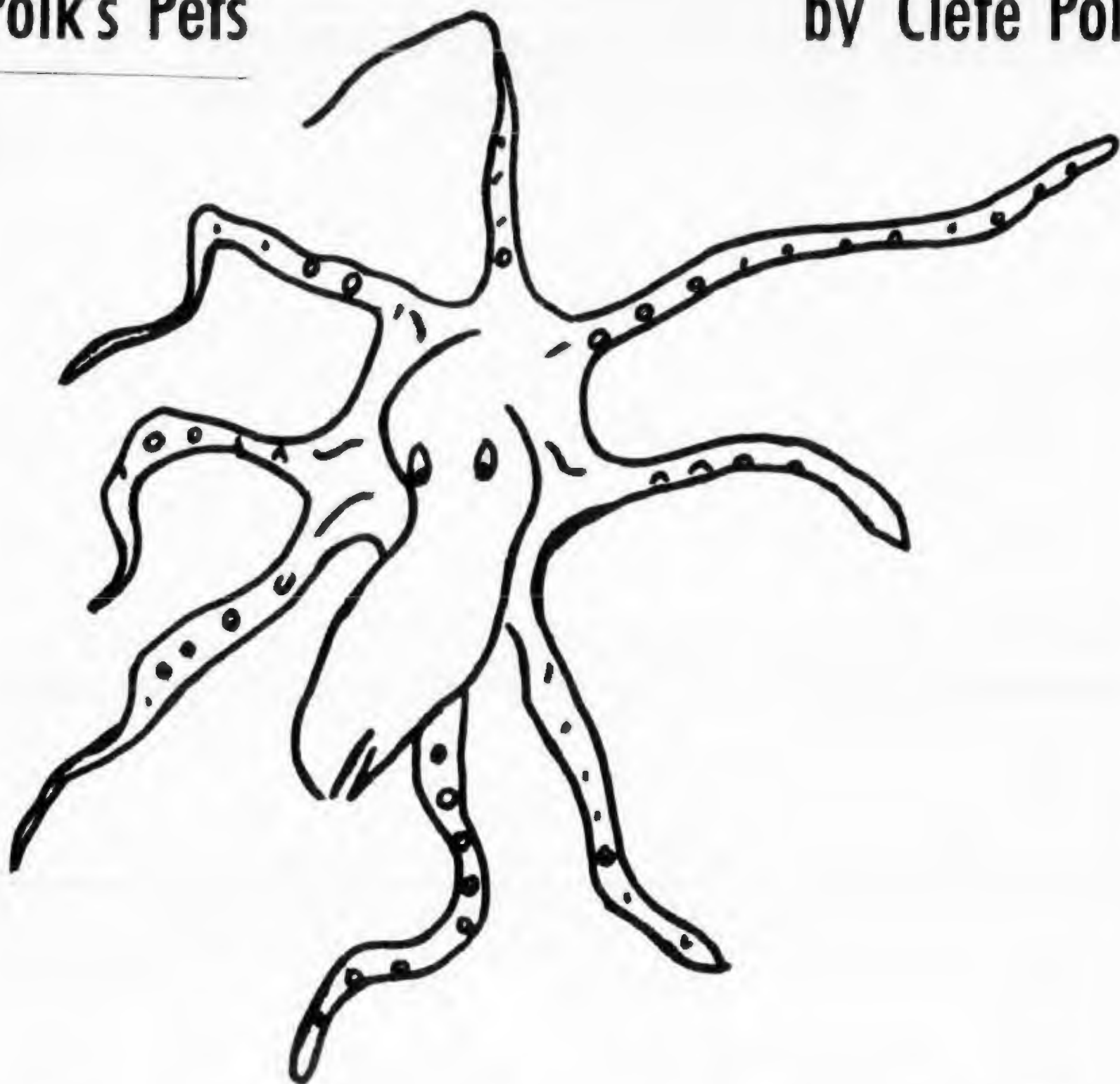
LAMPLITERS -- Spotswood, N.J.
1 & 3 Sundays, 2-4 pm American Legion Hall

Three squares visited the Edison Nursing Home for our quarterly demonstration and wheel chair dancing. Demonstrations are also in order with the nurses and candy strippers for the enjoyment of the patients. Some of us went to the Delaware Valley S/D Convention while others danced at the Middlesex County Fair with a hope to encourage new dancers. Two of our group are at college Ron Cavanaugh in Ohio and Al Fifuly in Kansas. Classes began Oct. 19 - please correct the roster - we dance at the Spotswood American Legion Hall.

TENAKILL TWILIGHTERS -- Teaneck, N.J.
Mondays, 7 - 9 pm Community Church

We had a ball at the Delaware Valley Convention in the teen hall and our own after parties. During Christmas week we will visit with the "Church Mice" and renew Convention friendships. Our class just graduated with a new one already underway as you read this. Happy square dancing.

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Did he say 8 hands 'round?

Grand Square



CANCELLED REGULAR CLUB DANCES

- Nov. 27 - Hix & Chix
- Dec. 24 - Hi Taws; Colonial
- 25 - Hix & Chix
- 26 - Circle 8; Princeton Sq
- 30 - Hi Taws
- 31 - Colonial Squares
- Jan. 1 - Hix & Chix



CROSS TRAIL SQUARES - Caldwell, NJ
2 & 4 Wed. Washington School

Started our classes in St. Aloysius Hall in September. All who are interested are welcome. Our teacher, as well as our regular caller is Bruce Vertun. We extend a warm welcome to one and all to come join us on any 2nd or 4th Wednesday at the Washington School on Central Avenue.

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